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Gigantic Sale

**Clothing, Men's
Furnishings
Men's & Ladies
Footwear**

**COMMENCING
Saturday, Jan. 14**

**ENDING
January 28th**

SEE AD. ON INSIDE PAGE

J. V. BERSCHT

Our Big Slaughter Sale

Is still in full swing and will be continued until further notice

Prices cut still deeper in DRY GOODS, MEN'S FURNISHINGS CLOTHING & BOOTS & SHOES

Sign of the Blue Flag

Reitzel & Kalbflesch

Look Out for Next

Week's Ad.

Something Startling

for You

BILL BAILEY

AROUND THE TOWN

See J. V. Berscht's ad. on one of the inside pages.

Reitzel & Kalbflesch's sale will continue until further notice.

One ladies' fur lined coat left, regular \$85, now \$68. Reitzel & Kalbflesch.

Men's winter footwear of all kinds going at reduced prices. Reitzel & Kalbflesch.

Wanted—A girl for housework in family of four. Apply: re. A. Cooper, Didsbury.

N. Weicker announces that he will in future take in hogs every Monday. Top prices will be paid.

J. V. Berscht will start one of the biggest sales ever held in Didsbury on Saturday. See ad. inside page.

C. H. Hober & Co. are building a large implement shed on the east side of the track next to their lumber yard.

H. W. Gabel has secured a position with the Bell Piano Co. of Calgary and left on Wednesday to take up his new duties.

Owing to the schedule of games played at the curling rink being incomplete, we are unable to publish the scores this week, but they will be published next week.

The many friends of Dr. A. J. Weart will be glad to hear that he is now on the road to recovery, although it will be some weeks yet before he is able to take up his duties.

Ladies' organizations are out in force, the second meeting for this purpose taking place last week. Didsbury could well take up this matter and we believe it would be a great success with the boys. We will give a short report of the meeting of this movement in our next issue.

The Didsbury Hockey team go to Calgary on Monday to play the St. Mary's team of that city. Those who can should go down with the boys and give them their support. They played a great game at Calgary a week ago and no doubt they will repeat the dose if all things are favorable.

At the annual meeting of the Church of England held this week the following officers were appointed: Minister's warden, E. Cutmore; people's warden, H. D. Boulter; vestrymen, J. Nixon, J. Spillard, S. Myers. On account of the cold weather the attendance was not as good as it might have been. One or two more officers are required and also a lay representative for synod. It is hoped in the near future to call another meeting and fill up the vacancies.

Ask for

SANITOL
TOOTH AND TOILET PREPARATIONS

fifteen in the family,
all good



W. H. W. CHAMBERS.

First Town Council Meeting of New Year

The Council met on Tuesday night, Jan. 10, in the Council chamber. The members present were Mayor Atkins, Councillors St. Clair, Moyer, Shantz, Wigglesworth, Morrison and Oliver.

The following committees were appointed for the year:

Finance—Coun. Shantz, St. Clair, Wigglesworth.

Civic Property—Oliver, Wigglesworth, Moyer.

Civic Works—St. Clair, Moyer, Morrison.

Fire, Water and Light—Morrison, Wigglesworth, St. Clair.

Sanitation—Wigglesworth, Morrison, Oliver.

Police and License—Shantz, St. Clair, Wigglesworth.

By-Laws—Oliver, Moyer, Wigglesworth.

Councillors Moyer and Oliver moved that a shelter for stock be erected in the pound yard and that building of same be left in hands of Civic Works Committee. Carried.

Councillors Shantz and St. Clair moved that Mr. Newton's salary be advanced \$12.50 per month. Carried. The Council then adjourned.

Library Board Meeting

A meeting of the Didsbury Public Library Board was held last week. Those present were: Mayor H. B. Atkins, H. S. Patterson and H. E. Osmond, Sec. Treas.

The other two members of the Board, Dr. A. J. Weart and Mr. A. G. Studer, were not present, being confined to their homes through sickness.

The Secretary-Treasurer presented the following report for the year 1910:

RECEIPTS

Balance in bank, Jan. 1st, 1909.	\$39.78
Fines and sale of magazines.	22.91
Grant, grant for 1909.	145.00
Town grant for 1909.	50.00
	\$357.71

EXPENDITURES

Janitor's salary.	\$48.00
Librarian's salary.	25.00
Freight on books.	12.22
H. W. Chambers, books.	30.63
Standard Pub. Co.	3.00
Bills payable.	30.55
	145.40
Total receipts.	\$357.71
Total expenditures.	145.40
Balance in bank.	112.31

The report announced that 1500 books had been lent through the year but that the reading room had been closed in the last few months as it was not patronized.

The report also recommended the addition of another stack for books and that new catalogues be secured as the old ones were worn out.

The report was adopted as read and the Secretary was authorized to make the needed changes.

The bills in the hands of the Sec. Treas. were, on motion, ordered paid. The two directors to retire this year are Dr. Weart and H. E. Osmond and A. G. Studer has signified his wish to retire from the Board. Appointments to fill these vacancies will be made at the next Council meeting. The Board then adjourned to meet again at the next regular meeting in February.

For Sale

Good storey and half house, 3 rooms good coal shed, store room; 2 lots, 50 x 130 feet each, fenced. Priced \$2000; terms. Apply H. Schmidt, Box 264, Didsbury, Alta.

UNION BANK

OF CANADA
Capital, Res. and Undivided Profits
\$3,644,700
Total Assets over \$44,000,000

Money is Power
to help yourself and others. But it's only the money you save—not the money that slips through your fingers. You will find a Savings Account a great help in accumulating this power. Why not start one NOW in this Bank? Interest compounded at highest current rates. Money may be withdrawn at any time.

DIDSBURY BRANCH:
F. N. Ballard, Manager
CARSTAIRS BRANCH:
W. E. Embury, Manager



PORK

Fresh Meats

Chops, Veal Cutlets, Mutton, Pork, Steaks, Fresh Sausage

Orders delivered in every part of town. We buy HOGS and POULTRY live or dressed at any time, delivered when ordered.

HIGHEST CASH PRICE PAID FOR BEEF HIDES

Didsbury Meat Market
N. WEICKER, Prop.



THAT NEW HOUSE you intend building will be all right if it's started right. First lay a good foundation and then

BUY YOUR LUMBER OF US. You needn't be an expert to see the difference in lumber. A walk through our yard convinces anyone the lumber is superior. It's not only good, but the best. Our lumber and prices get us the business.

D.S. SHANTZ & CO

Postponed

The hockey game between Stettler and Didsbury which was to have been played on the home ice on Wednesday has been postponed. The Stettler team could not get down because of bad train service through the cold snap.

The carnival which was to have been held on Wednesday night has also been postponed until next Thursday night, January 18th.

The games of hockey scheduled for next week are as follows:
Monday, 16th—Didsbury vs St. Mary's at Calgary.
Thursday, 19th—Lacombe vs Didsbury at Didsbury.



In all the World No car like this

I wish to call to your attention why the Ford car is the best car in the world today to buy. It is the car of established quality, established value and low price. The lightest car, the cheapest car, the simplest car, the simplest car to operate, the cheapest to maintain, the strongest made car in the world, size, power and capacity considered. Made completely from Vanadium steel. There are a great

many different designs of cars to choose from nowadays. For that reason the customer is at a loss to know how to decide. These facts will appeal to you as applicable to your automobile requirements because they are the actual experiences of over 3,000 owners of Ford cars today. They are certainly worth your most earnest consideration.

Now as to the Light Weight of This Car

The Ford Model T car weighs less than any other five passenger car made because of the elimination of superfluous parts and the use of high grade material. It is an all Van

adium steel car. There has not been a pound of unnecessary weight sacrificed in this car. It weighs plenty for every need and there is not one pound of dead weight.

As to Cost of Up-keep

Cost is the first consideration of most buyers. The price of the Ford car this year is lower by several hundred dollars than any other car nearly as good. It is the best value for your money in the world. The price and quality is the direct result of the FORD KNOW HOW. All the experimenting has been done and it is all for. There is nothing now but automobile cost in the Ford car and it is better this year than ever. It takes and costs more to run a heavy car. Excess weight is hard on tires, uses extra gasoline and lubricating oil to say nothing of the costlier repairs. Because of light weight and scientific design a Ford will go more miles per set of tires, more miles per gallon of fuel, more miles per dollar of repair expenses than any other car in the world. I personally know of cars here

in this district that have gone more than 4,000 miles and the tires look to be in perfect condition. They are Ford tires, too, on Ford cars. I would be very pleased to show you these cars and tires and prove to you that this is true. It may sound like a strong statement, but after Ford users experience that they have driven 25 to 28 miles per gallon of gasoline and from 5,000 to 8,000 miles per set of tires, \$5 to \$15 per month total expense—less than the figures of other car-makers tell us are correct. The tires on the Ford are larger per weight of car than the tires on any other touring car manufactured. In the same way the brakes are larger, horse power greater and life longer. We have figures to prove this and also any other claim or promise we have made.

As to Reputation

The Ford car is backed up by a company that is worth millions. Reputation and financial ability are the things that count and make things go. You have the guarantee of Mr. Ford if you buy a Ford car. It is a guarantee to be depended upon. You also have the promise of your local agents that if you buy a Ford car that they will see that you are made familiar with every part of your car at the time of purchase or as soon after as you are able to learn it, and that is a very short time. Also that if you buy a Ford car that it will be looked after

and kept in good shape barring accidents or smash ups which we cannot avoid. Remember these promises are from the very start, not part now and the rest after we are taught how. We thoroughly understand our cars from A to Z. Our first car load of Ford cars will be here no or about the 20th of this month. They are all sold but one touring car. The price is low, making them go. Our next car load will be at Valeraville, Ont. Jan. 15 and should arrive at Carstairs, Alta., by the 30th inst.

Touring car, fully equipped	\$1100.00
Touring car, without equipment	1000.00
Tour-about, fully equipped, with closed door	1025.00
Tour-about, with open door	1000.00

Hoping this may appeal to you in the same light in which it is given, I remain yours truly,
J. C. RINER, Didsbury, Alta.

W. G. Liesemer

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Tinware, Furnaces, Wall Papers,
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Machinery, John Deere Implements

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Call in and see our National
Canada Stoves

When given as soon as the emergency appears Chamberlains Cough Remedy will ward off an attack of cough and prevent all danger and anxiety. Thousands of mothers use it successfully. Sold by dealers everywhere.

During the very cold weather Building Inspector Harrison at Calgary has prohibited the construction of buildings as he states the placing of concrete in footings and of brick in walls when the temperature is low is dangerous.

The Didsbury Pioneer

PUBLISHED AT DIDSBURY, ALTA.

SUBSCRIPTION: One Dollar per year in advance. All arrears of six months or more will be at the rate of \$1.50 per year. Advertising Rates quoted on application.
H. E. OSMOND, EDITOR.

The fifth annual Seed Fair of the Didsbury Agricultural Society will be held in the Opera House on Monday, Jan. 30th. As usual this Fair is for the exhibition, sale and exchange of farm seeds, and it is to be hoped that a keener interest will be taken this year in the Fair than in other years.

Our townsmen also have some responsibility in these fairs and meetings of the farmers, for, without question, our success depends upon the success of the farmers to a great extent, or the best development of our agricultural resources. This is what the Department of Agriculture is aiming at in these fairs, institute meetings and judging exhibitions.

It consequently follows that the merchants and residents of the town should co-operate with the department in making these different events successful and do all we can to stir up the interest of those who seem to be more directly benefited—the farmers themselves.

Perhaps some of you will say, "How can the town do it?" By advertising. By doing so we do not mean to say advertising in the Pioneer alone but by individual effort in telling to your friends and customers, the farmers, getting some of the literature supplied by the department for the different events from Mr. H. J. Atkins and keeping the same in your pockets or on your counters and handing it out to the ones who are most interested, and in several other ways that will occur to you if you give the matter some thought.

The town council could also take up this matter and by a small grant given to the Secretary of the Agricultural Society for expenditure at these meetings in some way to make them interesting to those attending. Now that the cold winter weather is here a bit of coffee with sandwiches for a lunch would not come amiss to a man who has driven in to the Fair. This is just a suggestion. However, let us do something to help make these events interesting and so enable by attending them, any way.

The following clipping was taken from the Daysland Press, and as it is very sensible put and fills the bill for us as well as for the public of the Daysland district, we take pleasure in copying it, and hope that we all may be able to follow the advice given in the last paragraph:

One of our western country generally and this district in particular have been very busy since our arrival here in attempting to get our interest, both from natural inclination, and in most cases from absolute necessity. Even those of us who were hitherto to some extent with capital have found it necessary to give the most persistent attention to the detail of business, whether it be mercantile, professional industrial or agricultural, and while this is in the main commendable, it has had a tendency to make us lose sight of the fact that the general good of the community or development of the public interests.

We should each endeavor to get a broader view of affairs, take a keener interest in public life, put forth more effort to make known the advantages of our town or district, try to make the social life of our communities more attractive to new comers and in so doing we will not only be advancing the interests of others but will be greatly benefited ourselves—in intellectually, morally and financially.

Red Seal Dry Batteries

To the man with an automobile or gasoline engine of medium size type it will pay to buy the

Red Seal Batteries

that will test as high as 30.

Sold exclusively at the ordinary price of inferior batteries by

O. W. HEMBLING

AUCTION SALES

to be conducted by
G. B. Sexsmith, Auctioneer

Cattle Brands

All persons retaining cattle branded flag 3 quarter circle under on left ribs, and cattle branded 5 anchor, quarter circle over on left hip and with on cheek, are requested to notify Charles Brown, Westcott P.O., and save further trouble.

Cattle branded J C quarter circle on left hip and L E quarter circle on left rib belong to J. Cooper, Didsbury.

Persons having in their herds cattle branded VZ on right ribs, can marked half ear (they have other brands) please notify owner, James Hoggins, Westcott P.O.

Cattle branded ME on right hip, and VC on right rib, right ear split, are the property of D. L. Miller, Hunterville, Alta.

Any person having cattle branded O C on left hip notify R. C. O'Brien, Neepawa, N.S.

SIRAYED

Have you seen a dark red steer, big white neck, hals, tail, horns which stand nearly straight out, 2 years coming 3 years, no head split. Please notify J. A. Bennett, Didsbury P.O.

ESTRAY—Red, white faced yearling steer, horns cut off, looking dark brown yearling bull, one eye cut off right eye, yearling bull, black, left ear split, also left horn turned back. No visible brand on above cattle. If red cow, brand on left hip, also left ear slightly cut off. The owner can have these cattle by paying expenses. All sales since Nov. 15, 1910. J. H. Holm, Neepawa, Alta.

ESTRAY—White faced half calf, no brand. Owner can have same by paying expenses. Came to my place about mid of November, 1910. P. E. Eason, Lone Pine, Alta.

FOUND—One red steer, 4 years old, branded N E on right, big eye black, horns cut off, branded R half diamond under on right hip, cow, 4 years old, red with white spot in face, no brand, gone off both eyes, one light red, 2 year old heifer, under in left ear, no brand.

Notice to Creditors

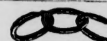
IN THE MATTER of the estate of Anthony Halvorsen, deceased.
NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of Anthony Halvorsen, late of Ghost Pine Creek, in the Province of Alberta, farmer, deceased, who died on the 15th of April, 1910, at Ghost Pine Creek aforesaid, and to whose estate Letters of Administration with Will annexed were on the 15th of November, 1910, granted by the Honorable the District Court of the District of Calgary, are hereby required to send in particulars of their respective claims, verified by affidavit or Statutory Declaration, together with the statement of security, if any, held by them respectively to the said Administrator in care of G. L. Peterson, of the Town of Didsbury, in the Province of Alberta, on or before the 21st day of January, 1911, after which date the Administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate among the parties in

title thereto, having regard only to the claims of which she shall then have had notice, and she will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim she shall not then have had notice.

Dated this 15th day of December, 1910.
C. L. PETERSON,
Agent for Charles Halvorsen,
the above named Administrator.



King Hiram Lodge No. 21, A.F. & A.M.
meets every Tuesday evening on or before full moon.
J. E. STAFFORD, J. A. F. SNEY,
Secretary, W. M.



DIDSBURY LODGE NO. 18, I.O.O.F.
Meets in Fraternity Hall, Didsbury, every Thursday evening at 8 o'clock sharp. Visiting Obedience always welcome.
R. BARKON, S. WOOD,
N.G. Secretary.

C. L. PETERSON
Conveyancer, Accountant

Real Estate and Insurance, Notary Public
Justice of the Peace, Official Auditor,
Issuer of Marriage Licenses.
DIDSBURY, — ALBERTA

H.S. Patterson, B.A., LL.B.
Barrister, Solicitor, Notary Public

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DIDSBURY, — ALBERTA

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Dr. E. G. Simmonds, L.R.C.P. (London);
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Hours: 9 to 12, 3 to 5.

Dr. A. J. Watson, M.D., C.M.
Physician, Surgeon

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Wholesale and Retail Dealer in Hay
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Poultry and Hides bought. Highest
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Also all kinds of small animals and birds.
STUFFED.
ANYTHING
WORTH
BUYING
promptly done
AT VERY REASONABLE PRICES
W. L. Culbeck, Taxidermist
SEVEN AVE.
Leave at this office and write

C. HIEBERT & CO.

Hardware and Lumber

Our first announcement for the New Year is that we have decided not to handle any

Horse Blankets

in the future. We will sell the stock that we now have, which is quite heavy, at a reduction of

25c on the dollar

from this day on and hope you will respond to this announcement and get a really cheap blanket

We have also taken over the agency for the

McCormick and International Harvesting Machinery

and will now be in a position to supply the public with a full line of

Gasoline Engines

from one to forty-five horse power, both stationery and traction, and would like you to call on us and see what we can do for you along these lines

We are still handling the White Rose Gasoline and National Light Oil, both first-class products of the refining process of crude oils, as well as a full line of Lumber Lath, Shingles, Sash, Doors and Mouldings, Building Paper, Etc.

C. HIEBERT & CO.

Hardware and Lumber

P. S.--We are also appraisers for the Canada Permanent Mortgage Corporation

Asks For the A. & G. W. Money

Edmonton Alta., Jan. 5.—Applications have been filed by the Dominion and Royal banks, in the action by the province to secure control of the Watrways money. Applications will be filed by the Union bank, the third bank implicated, tomorrow. The banks have five days more to file defences.

It is certain now that the actions will be carried through to the privy council. After the trial in Edmonton it is probable that application will be made to carry the action direct to the privy council without a trial in the supreme court of Canada.

Premier Sifton announced this morning that he would attend the big forestry convention in Ottawa next month, which is to discuss the question of preservation of forests, in which Alberta is particularly interested.—Calgary Herald.

An Excellent Plan

The Canadian Government annuities system which was approved by unanimous vote of Parliament in 1908, and is available to everyone, presents except one advantage to the young or middle-aged who are able to save over a considerable period to secure for their declining years an income free from all possible danger of loss or diminution and at the lowest possible cost. If the person has a lump sum saved up which he or she could apply on account of the purchase, the cost for the remaining years would be reduced to a greater or smaller extent, according to the amount which was put in the annuity. For example, a man of 35 wishing to purchase Annuity of \$500 at 60 and having \$500 in the Savings Bank which he could apply on account of the purchase in a lump sum could then complete his contract for an annual payment of \$38.85, where if the \$500 had not been paid he would have had to make an annual payment of \$71.04. In the event of his death before 60, his heirs would of course receive the \$500 as well as the interest payments at 5 per cent compound interest, and if he became disabled or disabled on that 5 per cent not over a twentieth part, and the amount that he had paid in would be his own income of 20 per cent, he could draw his Annuity at his then age through to 60, 65 or 70. This points out the advantage to a man or woman who has been saving up for years, and it is a most desirable longer term investment.

The Canadian Government annuities system is a most desirable longer term investment. The annuity savings bank 1 3 per cent will give an income far short of annuity money is right as required for their maintenance.

Information may be had at the post-office, or of the Superintendent of Annuities, Ottawa, of the plan you may adopt to make this provision.

Farm For Sale or Rent

One half section suitable for market garden, having one of grass one pure stream of water running through it. 125 acres of land cultivated in and only eight miles from Didsbury. Apply to R. J. Emmons, 719 14th avenue west, Calgary, or to Jas. Reed, Didsbury.

You Breathe It

By the simple act of breathing we inhale life and death. You breathe air crowded with disease germs. These lodge in the membrane and at once commence their deadly work. In a night you develop a cold and before long you are in the grip of Canada's deadliest enemy—Catarh.

You also breathe Hymel (pronounced High-mel) and by so doing breathe in life—Hymel is medicated and vaporized air. In its journey through the breathing organs it arrests and kills catarrh and cold germs, soothes the inflamed membrane and commences the work of healing. Ask druggist H. W. Chambers what he knows about Hymel. You will find that he not only sells it but guarantees it. A complete outfit will cost you \$1.00 from your druggist or postpaid from the R. T. Booth Co., Ltd., Fort Erie, Ont. You will find it invaluable for coughs, colds, catarrh and all kinds of disease. Money refunded if it fails.

HARNESS LEATHER

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GENUINE OAK TAN Harness Leather. This leather will not crack or tear and is tanned by a slow process which does not destroy the fiber.

We are using this leather entirely in our harness for spring. Now is the time to place your order. Our prices are the lowest possible.

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at reduced prices for balance of season.

W. BAUER - Westcott

A Complete Wood Working Plant. A single spoke or an entire wagon built to your order.

Interfering and forging etc., treated on scientific principles. Fancy horse shoeing is our special pride.

SINCLAIR BROS.

General Blacksmiths, Expert Shoers and Up-to-date Mechanical Methods

Discs sharpened and tyres set while you wait.

Our specialty is fine carriage and buggy repairs.

The Farmers Cafe

We are now ready to supply meals at all hours during the day, as well as regular boarders. Our stock of

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Millinery Below Cost

We have a small stock of Millinery which we wish to clear out. We will sell this stock while it lasts **BELOW COST** as we intend going out of this line of business.

CALL ON US AND GIVE US A TRIAL

MRS. GRAHAM Next door north of the South End Laundry Bldg.

Canadian Pictorial

The Canadian Pictorial is the best of its kind in Canada. It is crowded with the most interesting pictures of recent history, pictures of beautiful or curious things, portraits of men and women in the limelight, pictures showing the full development of our great Dominion—pictures that tell the facts as they are printed, pages over could. It is the next best thing to travelling and seeing people, places and events with one's own eyes.

WHAT ITS READERS SAY

"The Canadian Pictorial is certainly worth the price paid for it. I have been particularly struck with the excellence of the articles and illustrations. R. L. Borden, Ottawa."

"The Canadian Pictorial, a publication which, if I may be permitted to say so, is a credit to Canada. Lord Strathcona."

"I am greatly pleased with the Canadian Pictorial. No true Canadian should be without it."—Geo. Martin, Ennabell, Alta."

BEARING DOWN PAINS

What woman at some time or other does not experience these dreadful bearing down pains. Mrs. E. Griffith of Main street, Hopedale, Ont., says:

"A heavy bearing down pain had settled across my neck and sides. I was quite unable to sleep or to get on my feet. Many times each night I would have to leave my bed with the frequent and frequent sections of the kidneys and just as acute cut in the morning as in the evening. I was so tired and would have to let my arms out and stand. Nothing I tried would help it. I bought a box of Booth's Kidney Pills and concluded I would try them, which I did and soon found the long sought relief. My back straightened and I began to feel better and stronger. I now enjoy my sleep without being disturbed and feel grateful to Booth's Kidney Pills for what they did for me."

Booth's Kidney Pills are a tonic to women who would know less of backache if she took more of these wonderful pills. They are nature's greatest specific for all diseases of the kidneys and bladder. All druggists, or a box of postpaid from the R. T. Booth Co., Ltd., Fort Erie, Ont. Sold and guaranteed by H. W. Chambers.

When buying a cough medicine for children bear in mind that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is most effective for colds, croup and whooping cough and that it contains no harmful drug. For sale by dealers everywhere.

Steel Plugged Horse Shoes

We are now prepared to shoe your horses with any kind of shoes for winter use, either

STEEL PLUGGED SHOES or NEVERSLIP SHOES

A big assortment already on hand

It will work done by experienced, first-class shoeers. Any kind of horse shoe, no matter how bad

R.E. HARBOTTLE

General Blacksmith
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DIDSBURY, ALTA.

B. C. FRUIT LAND

AT SAYMOUR ARM ON SHUSWAP LAKE

is some of the best and is now selling at reasonable prices. [For information write or see

H. A. FRIESEN,

Didsbury,

AFTER DOCTOR'S FAILED

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Cured Her.

Toronto, Canada.—"I shall endeavor to describe to you how I felt before I began taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I scarcely know what it was to be well. I had awful bearing-down pains and usually before my monthly periods I suffered terribly and had to go to bed. I was not able to walk across the floor the pain was so bad. I doctored for a long time, but the doctor's treatment did not do me any good. I gave up all hopes of ever feeling well again until one day my husband saw the Compound advertised in the paper. I decided to get a bottle. I am thankful he did. I had not taken one bottle before I began to feel better, and I kept on taking it until now I am a different woman. It also helped me during maternity and I can thoroughly recommend your Vegetable Compound to any woman who is afflicted with female troubles. —Mrs. J. M. TWEDDALE, 138 Nassau St., Toronto, Canada.

The success of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs, is unparalleled. It may be used with perfect confidence by women who suffer from displacement, inflammation, ulceration, fibroid tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, bearing-down feeling, flatulency, indigestion, dizziness, or nervous prostration.



"It Wears"
These two words express the reason why so many people prefer the 1847 ROGERS BROS. brand of silver plate. This trade mark is a positive assurance of the highest grade of plate.

Best tea, coffee, water, etc., and cutlery.
MENIDEN BRITS CO.
and Canada's largest dealer in "Silver Plate that Wears"


The Wonder of the Age
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We are not nearly so easily amused now as we were once.—Mr. Herbert Farmer.

How vainly we deplore
The days that are no more;
To us, alas, a moody show,
Becomes the Punch and Judy show,
The lady stout
And giant stout
Has each become a bore.

No laughing public mocks
The debtor in the stocks,
The gibbet on the hill, or he
Who stands within the pillory
Might hardly smile.
A passing smile;
Or even the baited ox.

The babes our knees who climb
Endure the pantomime,
And smile a trifle bitterly
On organisms from Italy;
Their elders used
To be amused
With this most doubtful rhyme.
—London Chronicle.

Imperial Mother
Imperial Mother, from whose breasts
We drank as babes the pride where-by
We question ev'n thine own behests,
And judge thee with no unflinching eyes.

Oh, vext with a divided will,
When once a rival seeks thy fall,
We are thy sons and daughters still,
The love that hails, the faith that veils,
Are then deep sunk in the Sea;
The Sea where thou must brook no peers,
And with no one thy sovereignty.

—William Watson in London Times

Patience
The weather prophet is a man
Who moves us out to chile
And yet he does the best he can
The future to decide.
Apart from all the world he dwells
His studies to pursue,
And he it known, what'er he tells
Will ultimately come true.


When he says "fair" it may be found,
That skies are clouded quite
If he says "snow" the world around
With sunshine may be bright.
But whatsoever be the text
That makes us gay or grim,
Though it be not this week or next,
That weather's bound to come.

—Washington Star.

A Testimonial
"Every time the automobile breaks down I notice you examining your state license."
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"Yes, it was hard luck. He fell in love with her at first sight, bought a \$500 ticket, and was refused on his second visit."—Browning's Magazine.



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A Bit of Humor
A Cleveland mother sent this somewhat satirical note to the editor of her local son: "Parson me for calling your attention to the fact that your well-pulped Johnnie's pie year until it is getting longer than the other. Please pull his left ear for a while, and oblige his mother."—Exchange.

THE POSTMASTER JOINS THE ARMY

WHO ARE SHOUTING PRAISES OF DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS IN THE WEST.

A Neighbor Advised him to Take Them for his Rheumatism and Gravel. They Cured Him.

West Gravelburg, Sask., (Special).—Alexander McCarter, the postmaster here, has joined the "great western army" that has its waterhead, "Dodd's Kidney Pills." And like all others he has good and sufficient reasons.

"I was laid up with Rheumatism and Gravel," McCarter states, "and was also troubled with my bladder. I was so bad I could not do much work. A neighbor came along who had been troubled the same way, and he advised me to try Dodd's Kidney Pills. I did it. I bought two boxes, and using them according to directions, was soon able to go to work.

"Notice one thing: It was a neighbor who had been troubled the same way who advised the postmaster to use Dodd's Kidney Pills. He never had been cured by them. That's why he recommended them.

"If you're troubled with Kidney Disease in any form—Backache, Rheumatism, Lumbago, Gravel, Dropsy, Diabetes or Bright's Disease—ask your neighbors. You'll soon find one who has been cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

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"The bill always settles me instantly."—Washington Herald.

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Often appear with sudden changes of temperature. Eczema and Salt Rheum are cured by

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Cold, damp weather brings out eczema and salt rheum. Many who are subject to these ailments do not suffer except during the changeable weather of fall and spring.

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There is always danger of eczema spreading and becoming chronic. For this reason the use of the ointment should be regular and persistent until the cure is thorough and complete.

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"Yes," said the specialist, as he stood at the bedside of the miserable millionaire: "I can cure you."

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"Yes," said the specialist, "I can shade your figure a little less."—Lippincott's.

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	Aggre-	Aver-	Percent-
	gate	age	age
Upper School.....	427 1/2	28 1/2	83.83
Room 3.....	411 1/2	24 20	86.9
Room 2.....	459	27	93.6
Room 1.....	702	24 1/2	92.9
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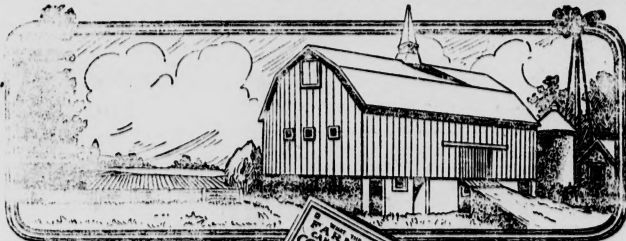
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